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All Alone in the UniverseSpelling: Prefixes: *pre-*, *pro-***Prefixes: *pre-*, *pro-*****Basic** Write the Basic Word that best completes each group.

1. safeguard, care, _____
2. announce, shout, _____
3. stop, avoid, _____
4. put off, make longer, _____
5. stick out, jut, _____
6. old, ancient, _____
7. demand, condition, _____
8. win, succeed, _____
9. assume, jump to conclusions, _____
10. method, technique, _____

Challenge Write an editorial for the school paper comparing candidates for class president. Be sure to include several of your opinions. Use three of the Challenge Words. Write on a separate sheet of paper.

Spelling Words

1. prediction
2. project
3. prevent
4. prepaid
5. prevail
6. proclaim
7. prehistoric
8. prejudge
9. preapprove
10. pregame
11. precaution
12. preorder
13. prescreen
14. preshow
15. pretreat
16. prolong
17. process
18. protrude
19. provision
20. production

Challenge

prologue
 proportion
 prorate
 preseason
 prearrange

Multiple-Meaning Words

The words in the box have multiple meanings. Read the sentences below and think about the situation, or context, before choosing the word that best completes each sentence. Then give a brief definition of or synonym for the word as it is used in the sentence. If you need help, use a dictionary.

stable	course	store	signal	blossom
station	trade	whisper	fence	staple

- The plastic containers were _____ once we filled them with water. _____
- Our teacher set up a _____ at the back of the room for us to read books. _____
- A _____ of wind blew the treetops, and the rain began to fall. _____
- Do you want to _____ lunches today?

- Pasta is a _____ food. _____
- I completed the Spanish _____ and took the final exam.

- The family had to _____ in their backyard before getting a pet dog. _____
- A scratchy throat could _____ an oncoming illness. _____
- I went to the _____ to buy groceries.

- The plant began to _____ when springtime came.
